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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 26, 2005**

Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action ("FOA") mailed January 26, 2005, Applicant presents the following remarks and arguments. It is believed that \$400.00 in fees are due for the presentation of 8 new claims; the Office is authorized to charge any fees associated with this communication to deposit account no. 501285. Please consider the following remarks/arguments:

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Amendment dated April 26, 2005

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There are no **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION.**

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** begin on page 3 of this response.

There are no **AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS.**

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS** begin on page 12 of this response.